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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FOR:	IMPROVEMENTS IN A PROCESS FOR OBTAINING HYDROGEN

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 15 Pages of specification, claims and abstract
- ☒ 5 sheet(s) of ☒ Informal drawings
- ☒ A Notice of Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119
- ☒ Standard Data Entry
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ Signed
- ☒ Small Entity Statement
- ☒ An Associate Power of Attorney

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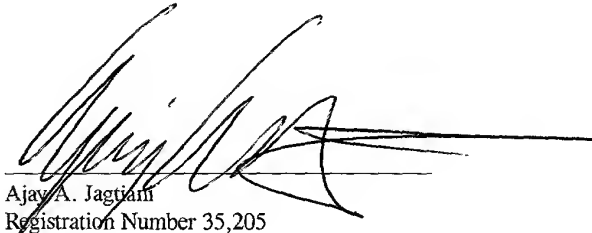
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